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Shri Ravi Kumar
R/o # 27-FF, HIG Flats, B-Block,
G.T. Road, New Amritsar.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Regional Transport Authority,
Patiala.

First Appellate Authority-cum-
O/o Regional Transport Authority,
Patiala.

....Respondents

AC No.2745 of 2020

**Present: (i) Shri Ravi Kumar, Appellant.
(ii) Shri Dharam Veer, Junior Assistant/APIO, O/o Secretary, RTA, Patiala.**

ORDER

(Heard Through Cisco Webex/On Mobile Phone)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 02.08.2021 passed by this Bench on the previous date of hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through Cisco Webex. Shri Ravi Kumar, appellant comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex.
3. Shri Dharam Veer, Junior Assistant/APIO, O/o Secretary, R.T.A. Patiala attends the hearing through Cisco Webex. He states that the record relating to the information asked for by the appellant was searched and the record being more than 20 years old and in a damaged condition affected by termite, is not available in their office and as such, cannot be supplied.
4. The appellant is contacted on mobile phone and on asking of the Bench, he attends the hearing through cisco webex. He is apprised of the version of the PIO. He states that he does not agree to the contention of the PIO as the RC of vehicle mentioned in his RTI application was got renewed in the year 2010 and that record, thus, cannot be 20 years old as claimed by the PIO.
5. Post deliberations, the PIO is directed to call the appellant to his office on 13.12.2021 at 11.30 AM and allow him access to the relevant records and he be provided information as may be identified by him. He is also directed to file an affidavit on a non judicial stamp paper in the instant appeal case duly signed by

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the PIO and attested by the Notary Public stating that the information sought in AC No.2745/2020 could not be traced and as such, cannot be provided. The information sought by the appellant is also not available on the official website. The appellant has been informed of the same. The statement made is true and correct. The Original copy of affidavit be sent to the appellant and photocopy of the same be sent to the Commission for record.

6. PIO is further directed to bring along the entire relevant record and produce the same before the Bench on next hearing. He is also directed bring along the concerned dealing hand to appear before the Bench

7. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 25.01.2022 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

**Chandigarh
19.10.2021**

**Sd/-
(Lt Gen Ajae Kumar Sharma (Retd))
State Information Commissioner, Punjab**

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Shri Naresh Kumar
R/o Kothi No.885,
Sector-11, Panchkula (Hry.).

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Greater Mohali Area,
Development Authority(GMADA)
S.A.S. Nagar (Moohali).

First Appellate Authority-cum-
O/o Greater Mohali Area,
Development Authority(GMADA)
S.A.S. Nagar (Moohali).

....Respondents

AC No.99 of 2021

Present: (i) **Shri Naresh Kumar, Appellant in person.**
(ii) **Shri Jagdish Singh, Superintendent, O/o GMADA, Mohali
on behalf of the PIO.**

ORDER

(Heard through Cisco Webex)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 02.08.2021 passed by this Bench on the previous date of hearing.
2. The case has been heard today through Cisco Webex. Shri Naresh Kumar, appellant comes present to attend the hearing in person before the Bench. He states that he has not received the information as per his RTI application so far. He has, however, received the copy of allotment letter.
3. Shri Jagdish Singh, Superintendent comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex. He states that the information as sought at Point No.1 regarding list of 129 beneficiaries along with their personal information like residential addresses, mobile numbers, category etc. has been denied as it is personal and private information. The information sought on point No.2 is an issue which is related to imposition of penalty for delayed payment and is a procedural issue covered under the terms & conditions of allotment letter. He also states that the information regarding names of beneficiaries and Forms Numbers is available on the website and rest of the details have been withheld being personal & private information. .
4. The Bench observes that the information sought in point No.2 of the RTI application is already covered in Point No.3 and the same is an executive issue of GMADA. Regarding point No.3, the appellant admits receipt of copy of allotment letter.

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5. Post deliberations, the PIO is is again directed to call the appellant to his office on 25.10.2021 and show him the records and also to provide him the link to the website to access the related information. The appellant shows reluctance to visit the office of PIO. As such, the Bench directs the PIO to provide list of 129 beneficiaries to the appellant containing names and Forms Numbers and withhold the residential addresses and mobile numbers, category etc. PIO must bring along relevant official records for perusal by the Bench and the appellant during the hearing.

6 With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 25.01.2022 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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Civil Court, Tehsil Complex,
Backside Sanjh Kender,
Phillaur, District Jalandhar.

.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

O/o Regulatory Branch,
Greater Mohali Area
Development Authority (GMADA),
PUDA Bhawan, Mohali.

Public Information Officer

Building Branch,
Greater Mohali Area
Development Authority (GMADA),
PUDA Bhawan, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Punjab Urban Planning &
Development Authority (PUDA),
PUDA Bhawan, Mohali.

....Respondents

AC No.1022 of 2021

Present: (i) **Shri Tejinder Singh, Appellant.**
(ii) **Shri Amandeep Singh, Senior Assistant, Building Branch and Shri
Balwinder Singh, Clerk-cum-Data Entry Operator, Regulatory Branch,
GMADA, Mohali on behalf of PIO.**

ORDER

(Heard Through Cisco Webex)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 02.08.2021 passed by this Bench on the previous date of hearing.
2. The case has been heard through Cisco Webex. Shri Tejinder Singh, attends the hearing through Cisco Webex.
3. Shri Amandeep Singh, Senior Assistant, Building Branch, GMADA, Mohali comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex. He states that point Nos.1,4 & 5 relate to Regulatory Branch and information on point Nos.2 & 3 has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 30.07.2021 to the effect that the information has been sought about private colonies which are not within the jurisdiction of GMADA and no plans are approved of the plots falling within the boundaries of villages. Shri Balwinder Singh, Clerk cum-Data-Entry Operator comes present to attend the hearing through cisco webex on behalf of Regulatory Branch. He states that information on points No.1,4 & 5 has been supplied to the appellant vide letter dated 09.06.2021.

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4. Shri Tejinder Singh, appellant states that he was not supplied information by the PIO on his own and it was only when he happened to visit the office of PIO GMADA on 05.10.2021 that the information as stated was supplied to him on his asking for the same.

5. The PIOs of Regulatory Branch and Building Branch of GMADA are directed to bring along the relevant record along with the photocopy of information supplied and produce the same before the Bench on the next hearing.

6. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 25.01.2022 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer
O/o Greater Mohali Area
Development Authority (GMADA),
Puda Bhawan, Mohali.

First Appellate Authority
O/o Greater Mohali Area
Development Authority (GMADA),
Puda Bhawan, Mohali.

....Respondents

AC No.1023 of 2021

Present: (i) **Shri Tejinder Singh, Appellant.**
(ii) **None on behalf of the PIO.**

ORDER

(Heard Through Cisco Webex)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 02.08.2021 passed by this Bench on the previous date of hearing.
2. The case has been heard through Cisco Webex. Shri Tejinder Singh, comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex. He states that information was received by him and he had pointed out deficiencies, but no rectified information after removal of deficiencies has been supplied to him.
3. Neither the PIO O/o GMADA Mohali has come present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex nor he has deputed any of his representatives to attend the hearing on his behalf.
4. The Bench observes that during the last hearing, the PIO was issued show cause notice but no reply has been filed by the PIO. He is directed to file reply to the show cause notice as also to supply rectified information to the appellant after removing the deficiencies. He is also directed to come present in person before the Bench on the next date of hearing.

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5. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 25.01.2022 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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.....Appellant

Versus

Public Information Officer

Area Town Planner
O/o Estate Officer(Regulatory),
Greater Ludhiana Area
Development Authority (GLADA),
Ludhiana.

First Appellate Authority

O/o Chief Administrator,
Greater Ludhiana Area Development
Authority (GLADA), Ludhiana.

....Respondents

AC No.1024 of 2021

**Present: (i) Shri Tejinder Singh, Appellant.
(ii) None on behalf of the PIO.**

ORDER

(Heard Through Cisco Webex)

1. This order may be read with reference to the order dated 02.08.2021 passed by this Bench on the previous date of hearing.
2. The case has been heard through Cisco Webex. Shri Tejinder Singh, comes present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex. He states that no information has been supplied to him by the PIO.
3. Neither the PIO O/o GLADA.Ludhiana has come present to attend the hearing through Cisco Webex nor he has deputed any of his representatives to attend the hearing on his behalf.
4. The Bench observes that during the last hearing, the PIO was issued show cause notice but no reply has been filed by the PIO, also no information has been provided to the appellant. He is directed to file reply to the show cause notice as also to supply information to the appellant before the next date of hearing.
5. With the aforesaid directions, the matter is adjourned. **To come up for hearing on 25.01.2022 at 11.30 AM before the Bench in Commission's office at Chandigarh.** Copies of the order be sent to the concerned parties.

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